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ANNUAL REPORT
FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT

FY 1998

REPORT CONTROL SYMBOL

1. INITIAL REQUEST DETERMINATIONS

a. TOTAL REQUESTS	b. GRANTED IN FULL	c. DENIED IN PART	d. DENIED IN FULL	e. "OTHER REASONS"	f. TOTAL ACTIONS
668 ~~621~~	180	120	117	299	716

2a. EXEMPTIONS INVOKED ON INITIAL REQUEST DETERMINATIONS

(b) (1)	(b) (2)	(b) (3)	(b) (4)	(b) (5)	(b) (6)
185	8	348	6	10	21

(b) (7)(A)	(b) (7)(B)	(b) (7)(C)	(b) (7)(D)	(b) (7)(E)	(b) (7)(F)	(b) (8)	(b) (9)

2b. "OTHER REASONS" CITED ON INITIAL DETERMINATIONS

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	TOTAL
120	35	25	41	15	24	0	7	67	334

2c. STATUTES CITED ON INITIAL REQUEST (b)(3) EXEMPTIONS

(3)(b)(3) STATUTE CLAIMED	NUMBER OF INSTANCES	COURT UPHELD? (Yes or No)	CONCISE DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL WITHHELD
10 USC 130	1	Yes	Protects unclass tech data subj to export control
10 USC 2305(g)	3	Yes	Protects proposals in competitive bids if not set forth or incorporated by ref in contract
18 USC 798	156	Yes	Protects COMINT and COMSEC info
50 USC 403-3(c)(6)	165	Yes	Protects intelligence sources and methods
PL 86-36	203	Yes	Protects names of employees and NSA function

3. APPEAL DETERMINATIONS

a. TOTAL REQUESTS	b. GRANTED IN FULL	c. DENIED IN PART	d. DENIED IN FULL	e. "OTHER REASONS"	f. TOTAL ACTIONS
49	0	1	16	33	50

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4a. EXEMPTIONS INVOKED ON APPEAL DETERMINATIONS

(b) (1)	(b) (2)	(b) (3)	(b) (4)	(b) (5)	(b) (6)
16	1	16	0	0	1

(b) (7)(A)	(b) (7)(B)	(b) (7)(C)	(b) (7)(D)	(b) (7)(E)	(b) (7)(F)	(b) (8)	(b) (9)
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

4b. "OTHER REASONS" CITED ON APPEAL DETERMINATIONS

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	TOTAL
17	0	0	8	0	2	0	0	5 timeliness 1 expedite denial	3

4c. STATUTES CITED ON APPEAL (b)(3) EXEMPTIONS

(1)(b)(3) STATUTE CLAIMED	NUMBER OF INSTANCES	COURT UPHELD? *(Yes or No)*	CONCISE DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL WITHHELD
P.L. 86-36	16	Yes	Functions and activities of NSA
798	16	Yes	COMINT Information
403-3(c)(6)	16	Yes	Intelligence sources and methods

5. NUMBER AND MEDIAN AGE OF INITIAL CASES PENDING	(1) AS OF BEGINNING REPORT PERIOD	(2) AS OF END REPORT PERIOD
a. TOTAL INITIAL REQUESTS PENDING *(open)*	~~0~~ 587	~~10~~ 506
b. MEDIAN AGE *(in days)* OF OPEN INITIAL REQUESTS	~~0~~ 342	0

6. TOTAL NUMBER OF INITIAL REQUESTS RECEIVED DURING THE FISCAL YEAR	620

7. TYPES OF INITIAL REQUESTS PROCESSED AND MEDIAN AGE	TOTAL NUMBER OF CASES	MEDIAN AGE *(Days)*
a. SIMPLE	~~618~~ 644	37
b. COMPLEX	~~15~~ 14	939
c. EXPEDITED PROCESSING	~~0~~ 10	19

8. TOTAL AMOUNT COLLECTED FROM THE PUBLIC	$ 2732.94

9. PROGRAM COST	
a. NUMBER OF FULL TIME STAFF	
b. NUMBER OF PART TIME STAFF	
c. ESTIMATED LITIGATION COST	$
d. TOTAL PROGRAM COST	$

10. AUTHENTICATION

a. SIGNATURE *(Approving Official)* Barbara Paisley

b. TYPED NAME *(Last, First, Middle Initial)*	c. DUTY TITLE
PAISLEY, Barbara	Chief, FOIA/PA Services
d. AGENCY NAME	**e. TELEPHONE NUMBER *(Include Area Code)***
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9. Program Cost

a. Number of full time staff	15.9 ManYears	$781,108
b. Number of part time staff	.6 ManYears	19,203
PLUS 16% Benefits		128,049
c. Estimated litigation cost		72,116
Agency Cost (search/review/duplication)		32,475
PLUS 25% Overhead		253,912.75
Total Program Cost		$1,269,563.75